OR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) Docket No. BUR920000143US1 (13890) (Large Entity) FEB 2 7 2003 Of: Douglas D. Coolbaugh, et al. Group Art Unit Filing Date Examiner Serial No. 09/773,798 February 1, 2001 Dana Farahani 2814 Invention: PASSIVATION FOR IMPROVED BIPOLAR YIELD TO THE ASSISTANT COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS: This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action October 15, 2002 above-identified application. The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ☐ Four months ☐ Five months ☐ Two months ☐ Three months ☑ One month February 15, 2003 from: January 15, 2003 until: Date Date The fee for the extension of time is \$110 and is to be paid as follows: A check in the amount of the fee is enclosed. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fees which may be required, or credit any overpayment, to Deposit Account No. 09-0456/IBM A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. ☑ If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 09-0456/IBM A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. Dated: February 19, 2003 Leslie S. Szivos Registration No. 39,394 I certify that this document and fee is being deposited SCULLY, SCOTT, MURPHY & PRESSER on 2/19/03 with the U.S. Postal Service as 400 Garden City Plaza first class mail under 37 C.F.R. 1.8 and is addressed to the Garden City, New York 11530 Assistant Commissioner for Patents, Washington, D.C. 20231. (516) 742-4343 02/28/2003 JBALIMAN 00000091 09773798

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